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Location

2. A cellulose and paper factory is situated on the western side of Petrokrepost (49-55N, 31-05E), a few hundred meters east of the Neva River and about 750 meters south of the railway bridge over the Neva.

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History

3. The factory was in existence before the war, but it was not known when it was built. It is the largest factory of a cellulose and paper factories trust. Other factories known to belong to this trust are located at Krasnoye Selo and at a village 10-15 km south of Pushkin. At least one more factory was said to belong to this trust, but its location is not known. The Potokrepost factory suffered some damage during the war but has been repaired since.

Type of Product

5. The factory produced cellulose sheets, newsprint, and packing paper.

PERSONNEL

4. Personnel consisted of Soviets, [redacted] and German PWs.

Work was performed in one 9-10 hour

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Security Measures

6. A wooden fence about 2m high surrounded the factory. There were no watch-towers. Factory guards were civilians. Passes were examined.

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